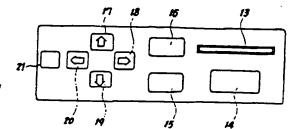
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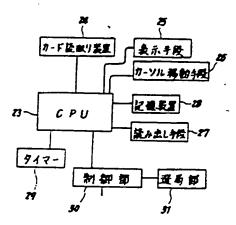
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ABSTRACT : PURPOSE: To facilitate an easy video recording procedure such as the reservation of timer, etc. by recognizing a table of programs, for example, recorded on a recording card by means of ε cursor provided on a monitor TV screen to store the table to a memory and actuating a built-in timer and channel selection part

according to the contents of storage. CONSTITUTION: A recording card is put into a card slit 13 and a display button 14 is pushed to display the contents of the card on a TV screen. Then the information on TV programs are arrayed on each row. A cursor button 17 is pushed to set a cursor at the left end of a prescribed row. Then a recognition button 15 is pushed to display an asterisk mark at the right end of the same row. Thus the video recording is set by a timer 29. The information on this timer recording is stored in a memory 28 and then read out by the timer 29 at a prescribed time point. Then a control part 30 works perform the video recording of a program o: a prescribed channel at a prescribed time point. A confirmation button 21 is pushed after setting the video recording to display an asterisk mark at the right end of the row. Then only the contents with which the video recording is set by the timer are displayed successively and can be confirmed assuredly.

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1、発用の名称

极系配设再生获数

2. 特許以来の範囲

1、記憶すべき手続きを記録した記録以びを再 生してディスプレイ画面上に前記記憶すべき手 秋さを表示する表示手段と、前記ディスプレイ 画面上に自由にカーソルを移動させるカーソル 移動手段と、前記ディスプレイ青面上の前記が ーソルによりは誰された記憶すべき手抜きだけ を終み出す込み出し手段と、この数み出し手段 により状み出されたた紀使すべき手続きを記憶 する記憶装置と、この記憶装数に記憶された記 性すべき手杖さに拾って糸定日的に 紀盤すべき 手杖さを致み川すタイマーと、このクイマーに よって我み出された記憶すべき手載さにおって 祖外記録再生民業本体を作動させる制数器と、 前記記憶装置に記憶された記憶すべき手続きの みを航記式イスプレイ番面上に表示させる構造 手段とを構え、前記カーソルにより登録され、

の記記を登録に記憶された記憶すべき手続きにより、所定日時に、前記制器部により組気記録 再生装置本体を作動させた後に、作助を終了した分の記憶すべき手続きには、前記ディスプレイ面面上にて作助を終了した事を表示する構成とした組気記録再生装置。

3. 発明の詳細な説明

産業上の利用分野

本見明は紀気記録再生装置に関するものである。 従来例の構成とその無限点

で 来の例えば家庭用ビデオテープレコータ(以下 V T R と起す)においては、プログラムをな現ましては、プログラムをな現まない。これに対するよう 1 世界を必要としていた。これについて、第 1 日本の 2 では、第 1 日本の 2 では、第 2 日本の 2 では、第 2 日本の 2 では、第 3 日本の 2 では、1 日本の 3 では、1 日本の 4 日本の

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一切るさ切換スイッチ、Fは分数定ボタン、7は 時間投定ボタン、8は報日設定ボタン、9はデジタル表示部、10は砂点製表示菓子である。操作手 製について例をあげて説明する。〒日が月曜日と し、1週目の火曜日(即ち翌日)の19時より結画 開始、20時30分に経面終了、経両チャンネル10チャンネルを設定する。

の 本機の電器スイッチを「入」にしてから、 タイマー後作部のカバーをあけてください。 (第3因)

タイマー後作品の右上部を押すと、カバーが少しひらきます。

完全にひらいてからタイマーの操作を行 なってください。

的 60分以上の仲電があったときや、電源コードを的 60分以上コンセントから抜いていたときは、図のように表示されて点望します。

② タイマーセットスイッチが「切」になっていることを確認します。(第4因)

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「1.2.3.4.5.6.7. 毎週」の点域が消え、「1」が表示されてデジタル表示部9の左側に「舞蛤」が点域を始めます。

プログラムボタン 2 を押し続けていると、「1、2、3、4、5、6、7、色選、1、2、…… 位選」と願々に表示してゆきます。

- © 経面的始ポタン3を押します。(第7名) 「開始」の点紙がとまり、きょうの曜日、 現在的紙、1週日のプログラムを示す「 0」 が点灯します。
- 動 電日設定ボタンBを押して「火」電日に合わせます。(第8回)

押し続けると曜日表示が進んで、2.週日 には[00]の表示がでます。

行きすぎたときは、曜日設定ボタン8の 戻しボタンを挙して戻してください。

の 時間設定ボタン7を押して、「19」的に 合わせます。(第9回)

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の タイマー部をあけて、作動切換スイッチ 1を「番組予約」にします。(第5回)

製在時間の表示が終えて、デジタル表示 部 9 の下側に「1 . 2 . 3 . 4 . 5 . 6 . . 7 . 色達」の 8 プログラムが良減を始めま す。

直製はプログラムセットされていない 空プログラムを示しています。

すでに予わされてあるプログラムは点 鍵をしないで点灯したままになっていま す。

また、味噌が終わったプログラムも点 減しています。(ただし、毎日味面、毎 遺鉄面にセットされたプログラムは点灯 したままです)

このとき、チャンネル表示ランプは、最 後に受信されたチャンネルのランプが点灯 しています。

② プログラムボタン2を押します。(第6図)

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の 分設定ボタン6を押して「00」分に合わせます。(第10日)

これで発展関始時刻(第1週目火曜日19時 00分)がプログラムされました。分設定ポタン6から招を催すと、約1秒後に、「開始」が点灯したまま「終了」の表示が点域を始めます。

分数をボタン6を押さない場合は「終 了」の点域はされませんが、最高終了時 割の数定をするために切の操作に移るこ とはできます。

- 毎 録画装了ボタン3を押して絵画装了時料 (20時10分)をセットします。(第11因) 「舞始」が約えて、「装了」の点域がとまります。
- 動無数をボタン7を押して「20」時に合わせます。(第12因)

電日設定ボタン8を押しても取口は変わりません。

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せます。(第13回)

こ日にまたがってのプログラム発動の名 合は、自動的に難日の表示が進みます。

経面等了時刻の時、分の設定が経面関係 時刻より前になると、曜日の表示は自動的 に次の曜日に進みます。

整面したい番組のチャンネル (10チャンネル) を、本線のチャンネル選母ボタンで選びます。 (第14回)

押したチャンネルのチャンネル表示ラン プが点域を始めます。

(ご注意)

製在受信中のチャンネル表示ランプは点 灯したままです。

希望するチャンネルの選局を忘れると、 限在受信中のチャンネルがアログラムされ てしまいます。

製在受信中のチャンネルを予約する場合は、チャンネル選局ボタンを押しても、チャンネル表示ランプは点滅しませんが、ア

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いものであり、これを主に使用すると思われる一般変質のすべての人に満足して使っていただける ようなものとは言えなかった。

発明の目的

本見明は上記従来の欠点を解消するもので、タイマー予的等に代表されるような録而手続きを容易に設定する事のできる疑気記録再生装置を提供することを目的とする。

発明の裏皮

上記目的を達成するため、本発明の組集記録の 生装置は、記憶すべき手続きを記録した記録を を再生してディスプレイ面面上に前記ディスプレルを移動させるカーソルを移動させるカーソルを移動させるカーソルを 画面上に自由にカーソルを移動させるカーリルル かいにより四重された記憶すべき手続きだけにより 出きれた記憶すべき手続きた記憶すべき手続き み出された記憶すべき手続きを み出された記憶すべき手続き と、この記憶装置に記憶すべき手続き におって所定日前に記憶すべき手続き ログラムセットはできます。

作動切換スイッチ 1 を「通常動作」に切換えて、タイマーセットスイッチを「入」にします。 (第15回)

ビデオカセットがカセットホルダーにそ う入されていると、タイマーセット表示ラ ンプが点灯します。

ビデオカセットの"つめ" が折れていた り、ビデオカセットがそう入されていない 場合は、タイマーセット表示ランプは点紙 レます。

このようにして1つの番割が設定された(いわゆるタイマー予約)わけである。この後、いま後作した予約がはたして操作者の希望通りの設定になっているか確認する、確認のための操作が別途あるが、これについては客略する。

このように、従来の例えば変変用VTRにおけるプログラムタイマーの設定は、通程な判断及び 操作が必要とされ、またそれらの操作が順序通り 正確になれないと所定の目的通りの子的ができな

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実施側の影响

以下、本見明の一実施例について、関面に基づいて製明する。

第16回はモニター用の受象機(以下モニターTVと記す)が接続された組気記録再生装置の負担 圏で、11は磁気記録再生装置本体、12はモニター TV、13は磁気記録再生装置本体11とモニターTV、12とを接続する接続値、11a は磁気テープを内 激したカセット(図示せず)を出し入れするため、

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に昇算するカセットロき部、110 ロチャンネル選 身部、11c はタイマー発電のための幾作部の蓋で あり、前記章11c を買いた状態を第17回に、上た 喜の内部の後作品を第18回に示す。なお第18時に おいて、13はカード挿入口、14は記録カードの記 録内容を表示させる表示ボタン、13は結束ボタン、 16は削除ボタン、17~20はそれぞれ矢印の方内に モニターTV12の画面上でカーソルを動かすため のカーソルボタン、21は森田ボタン15によっては 置された内容を表示させ、脊謀するための皆以ボ タンである。前記カード挿入口13には、前19回に 示すような記録カード22が挿入される。この記録 カード 2.2 は、図巾に料整を施した記録部分 2.2 a を 有し、この記録部分22a は、例えば基本材質が有 思コロイドによって作られ、レゾービームによっ て直任5ミクロン程度の孔を1つのデータピット として持ち、12ミリ×75ミリの大きさで、その中 に 500万ピット程度の供収が記録されている。矢 印Aは記録カード22の挿入方向を示す。

第23回は全体のプロック団で、23は中央制御装 - 1.1 -

する場合、先ず組気記録再り装置本体11のタイマ 一位画のための後作品の質11c を開き、カード値 入口13に記録カード22を挿入する。この記録カー ド22には、1四月間のこの地域で複雑可能なTV 放送番目が記録されている。記録カード22を於入 した後、表示ボタン14を押すと、第21回のように、 モニターTV12の重面上に記録カード22の内容の 第1頁目が表れる。ここでP1は第1頁目が表示 されている事を表わしており、次の行からTV# 粗の賃促が並んでいる(3行目よりもあとは省略 している)。P1の次の行について、方から、B、 料、蓄粗タイトル、盗局番月となっている。初21 包において、Pの下にあるのがカーソルである。 次にカーソルボタン17を押すと、1回押すごとに カーソルが下降してくる。何えば、5月5日の 1:00~ 1:20にある1 chのニュースモクイマー 華重以定する場合を考えてみると、カーソルを助 かして第22間の如く所定の行の左右へカーソルを 位置させる。そして次に禁錮ボタン15を押すと、 新23世のようにこの行の右側にさ(アスクリスク)

置(以下CPUと記す)であり、このCPU23に より、カード鉄取り装置24、ディスプレイに表示 する表示手段25、カーソル移動手段26、紋み川し 手段27、記憶裝置28、タイマー29、及び制御部30 が制御されており、制御部30には、選母部31及び 祖気記録部(呂示せず)が推続されている。前記 表示手段25は、カード鉄取り装置24により再生さ れたディスプレイ重面すなわちモニターTV 12上 に記憶すべき手続きを表示し、前記カーソル移動 手身26は、前紀ディスプレイ重面上に自由にカー ソレを移動させ、前記数み出し手段27は、前記デ ィスプレイ書面上のカーソルによりは異された記 健すべき手続きのみを読み出し、前記記憶装置28 は、前記込み出し手段27により挟み出された記憶 すべき手続きを記憶し、前記タイマー29は、前記 記憶装置28に記憶された記憶すべき手抜きに拾っ て所定日前に記憶すべき手続きを扱み出し、前記 例智思30以、前記所定日時に祖気記録再生装置本 体11を作動させるものである。

次に動作を説明する。タイマー記録をしようと - 12 -

のマークが表われ、タイマー発面が設定される。 なおこれを解除する場合は、解除すべき行の左右 にカーソルを位置させて、削熱ボタン16を押す。 これにようボのマークが貫え、タイマー経面設定 が解除される。タイマー経面が設定されると、そ の賃軽は狙気記録再生装置本体11の記憶装置28に 記憶され、所定日時にタイマー29によって、この 記憶が汲み出され、制御部30によって、所定日前、 所定数送局の番割を所定時間疑而作動する。また 製定機に確認ボタン21を押すと、行右幅にポマー クが長れて、タイマー最重が設定された内容(ブ ログラム)のみが難に表示され、これにより何が タイマー台画設定されたかを確実に発露できる。 次に所定時間が旺適し、タイマー装置が設定され ていた内古(プログラム)のうちのあるものが最 面を終了した質、智慧ボタン21を押すと、タイマ 一以重が以足された内容(プログラム)のみが表 **示されるなかで、前述の経面を終了したものにつ** いてのみ、その内容(プログラム)の行を幅にも *(アスタリスク)マークが長われ、これにより

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このプログラムが経済を完了した事が確認できる。 なお上記実施例においては、記録異体として記 はカード22を用いた例につい、説明したが、例え は印刷物の上をパーコードリーダーのようなもの で記録データーを取り込む等、記録異体及びその 情報の取り込み方法については様々の方式を採用 できることは効論である。

また上記支給例においては、いわから数数部間でのタイマー酸菌に応用した例について説明的したが、本見明の組象記録再生装置は、例えば銀行で、西西 写に別いるもながない。例は、記録なり、ないでは、利用できる。すながった類似のカメラがつながった類似のできる。すながら10時までは、記録カードに1日のうち倒えば8時から10時までは15時からないメラステムの特別が13時までは野門付い、提供のカメラステムの特別が13時までは、15時の変更に伴なって、最も適切な関連のような機材の変更に伴なって、最も適切な関ルーチンをおは選択し作り出するができまた。

部の担人正面図、第3回~第15所は同VTRのタイマーは直接作手順の説明図、第16回は本発明の一実施制における組気記録再生装置の対視図、第17回は同組気記録再生装置のタイマー録画操作部の犯大政機図、第19回は記録カードの対視図、第20回は記録カードの対視図、第20回は記録カードの対視図、第20回に本発明の一実施制における組気記録再生装置のプロック図、第21回~第23回は周組気記録再生表置の設定時における表示の説明例である。

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11… 組気記録再生装置本体、12…モニターTV、21… 確認ボタン、22… 記録カード、23… 中央制製 装置、24… カード鉄取り装置、25… 表示手段、26 … カーソル移動手段、27… 扱み出し手段、28…記 電装置、29… タイマー、30… 制御店

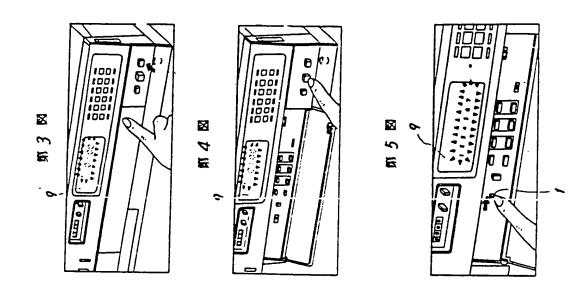
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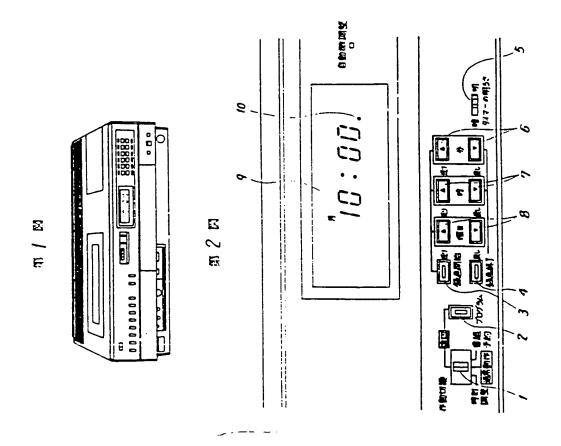
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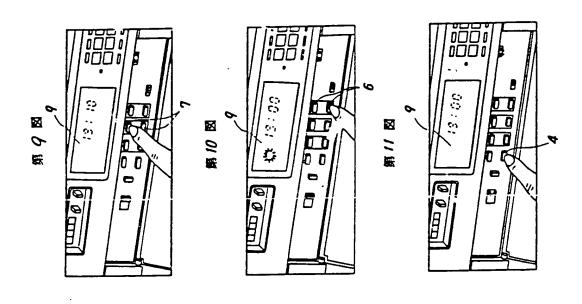
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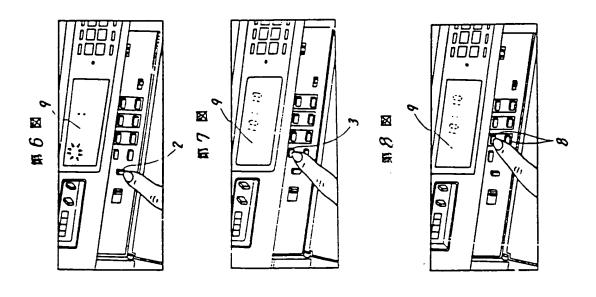
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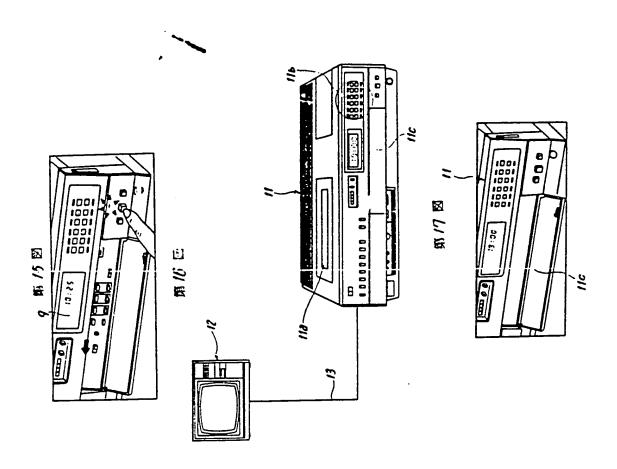
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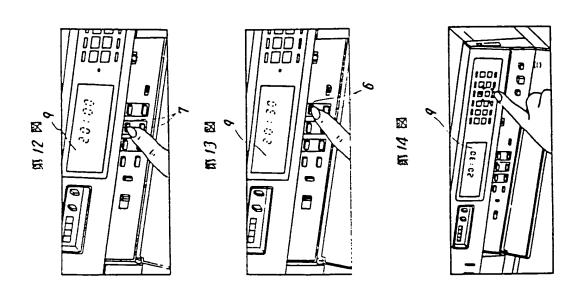


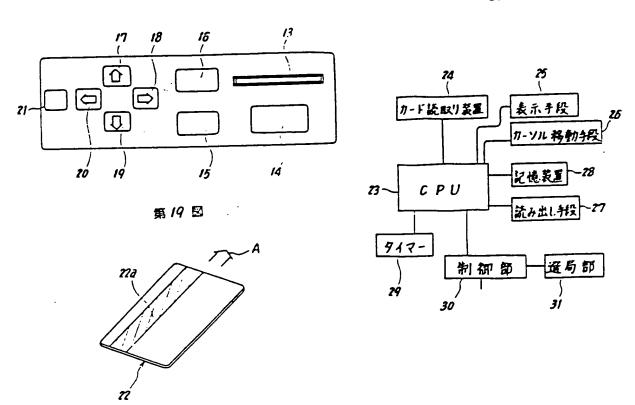


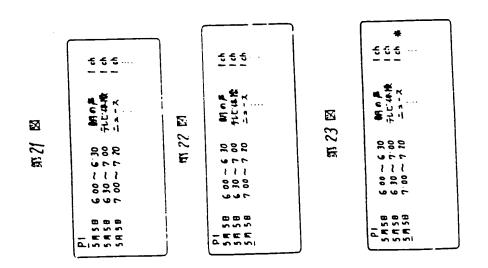












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is a procedure to be stored and to display the abovementioned procedure to be stored on a display screen, a cursor moving means by which to freely move a cursor on the above-mentioned display screen, a reading means by which to read only a procedure to be stored which is recognized by the above-mentioned cursor on the abovementioned display screen, a memory device by which to store the procedure to be stored which has been read by this reading means, a timer by which to read a procedure to be stored at a pre-determined date and time according to the procedure to be stored which has been stored in this memory device, a control section by which to operate the magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus itself according to the procedure to be stored which has been read by this timer, and a confirmation means by which to display on the above-mentioned display screen only the procedure to be stored which has been stored in the above-mentioned memory device, and that it constituted in such a manner that after operating the magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus on a predetermined date and time by means of the above-mentioned control section according to the procedure to be stored which has been stored in the above-mentioned memory device, the fact that the operation has been completed is displayed on the above-mentioned display screen with respect to the procedure to be stored for which

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Specification

- Title of the Invention
 A Magnetic Recording and Reproducing Apparatus
- 2. What we claim is:
- 1. A magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus characterized in that it is equipped with a display means by which to reproduce a recording medium on which there

operations have been completed.

3. Detailed Explanation of the Invention

Utilization Fields in Industry

The present invention relates to a magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus.

Constitution of Conventional Examples and Problem Points
Thereof

With a conventional, for example, video tape recoder for home use (hereinafter referred to as VTR), in using the important function called program timer recording which a home VTR has, it has been required to go through complicated procedures which we will explain below. us explain the procedures by referring to Fig. 1 through Fig. 1 is an obliquely seen view of an Fig. 15. ordinary home VTR, and Fig. 2 is an enlarged front view of the timer display section and timer operating section of the same VTR: 1 is an actuating switching switch, 2 is a program button, 3 is a record start button, 4 is a record end button, 5 is a timer brightness switching button, 6 is a minute set button, 7 is a time set button, 8 is a button setting day of the week, 9 is a digital display section, and 10 is a second flashing display element. Let us explain the operating sequence by referring to an example. Let us assume that today is Monday, and we are to start recording of Channel 10 on 19:00 on Tuesday of the first week (that is, next day), and end the recording on 20:30.

(1) After turning on the power switch of this machine, open the cover of the timer operating section.

(Fig. 3)

If the right upper section of the timer operating section is pushed, the cover opens slightly.

Start the timer operation after the cover opens completely.

If there was power outage of about 60 minutes or longer, or the power cord thereof was pulled out from a plug socket for about 60 minutes or longer, the display as shown flashed.

- (2) Confirm that the timer set switch is "OFF". (Fig. 4)
- (3) Open the timer section and turn the actuating switch to "Program reservation". (Fig. 5)

The display of the current time disappears, and 8 programs of "1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and every week" starts to flash on the lower side of the digital display section 9.

The flashing indicates that no program has been set (empty program).

The programs which have already been reserved remain

lighted without flashing.

In addition, any program for which recording has been finished also flashes. (However, a program which has been set to everyday recording or every week recording remains lighted.)

At this time, among the channel display lamps, a lamp of a channel which was last received flashes.

- (4) Depress the program button 2. (Fig. 6)

 Flashing of "1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and every week"

 disappears, "1" is displayed, and "Start" begins to

 flash at the left side of the digital display section 9.

 If the program button 2 is continuously depressed, "1,

 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and every week. 1, 2, ... 10

 weeks" are displayed in sequence.
- (5) Depress the record start button 3. (Fig. 7)
 Flashing of "Start" stops, and " 0" which indicates today's day, current time, and programs of the 1st week flashes.
- (6) Depress the day set button 8 and set it to "Tuesday". (Fig. 8)
- If this button is continuously depressed, the day display progresses, and "00" indicating the 2nd week is displayed.

If you passes the desired setting, depress the return button of the day set button 6 and return to the desired setting.

- (7) Depress the time set button 7, and set it to "19". (Fig. 9)
- (8) Depress the minute set button 6, and set it to "00". (Fig. 10)

If the minute set button 6 is not depressed, "End" does not flash, but it is possible to move to Operation (9) to set record end time.

- (9) Depress the record end button 3 (sic), setting the record end time (20: 30). (Fig. 11)
- "Start" display disappears and flashing of "End" stops.
- (10) Depress the time set button 7 to set it to "20". (Fig. 12)

Even if the day set button 8 is depressed, day does not change.

Depress the minute set button 6 and set it to "30". (Fig. 13)

In a case of program recording over 2 days, the display of day of the week automatically advances.

If the setting of time and minute of the record end time becomes before the record start time, the display of day of the week automatically advances to the next day.

A channel of a program which one wants to record (10 channel) is selected by the channel selection button of this machine. (Fig. 14)

The channel display button of the channel depressed begins to flash.

(Caution)

The channel display lamp (of the channel) currently being received remains flashing.

If one forgets selection of a desired channel, the channel currently being received is programmed.

In a case where the channel currently being received is to be reserved, even if the channel selection button is depressed, the channel display lamp does not flash, but it is possible to set a program.

The actuating switching switch 1 is switched to "Normal Operation", and the timer set switch is turned "ON". (Fig. 15)

If a video cassette has been inserted in a cassette holder, the timer set lamp flashes.

If the "claw" of a video cassette is broken, or a video cassette has not been inserted, the timer set lamp flashes.

In this manner, one program has been set (the so-called timer reservation). After this, there is separately an operation by which to confirm whether or not the reservation thus made has been made as desired by an operator, that is, a confirmation operation, but this operation is omitted here.

In this manner, setting of a program timer in a conventional home VTR requires proper judgment and

operations, and if those operations are not carried out accurately according to the sequence, reservation as desired can not be made, and therefore, we can not state that all people of ordinary homes who are supposed to mainly use it can use it satisfactorily.

Purpose of the Invention

The present invention is to eliminate the above-mentioned conventional defects, and the purpose of the present invention is to provide a magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus which allows one to set recording procedures as represented by timer reservation easily and simply.

Constitution of the Invention

In order to achieve the above-mentioned purpose, the magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus in accordance with the present invention is a magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus characterized in that it is equipped with a display means by which to reproduce a recording medium on which there is a procedure to be stored and to display the above-mentioned procedure to be stored on a display screen, a cursor moving means by which to freely move a cursor on the above-mentioned display screen, a reading means by which to read only a procedure to be stored which is recognized by the above-

mentioned cursor on the above-mentioned display screen, a memory device by which to store the procedure to be stored which has been read by this reading means, timer by which to read a procedure to be stored at a predetermined date and time according to the procedure to be stored which has been stored in this memory device, control section by which to operate the magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus itself according to the procedure to be stored which has been read by this timer, and a confirmation means by which to display on the above-mentioned display screen only the procedure to be stored which has been stored in the above-mentioned memcry device, and that it is constituted in such a manner that after operating the magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus on a pre-determined date and time by means of the above-mentioned control section according to the procedure to be stored which has been stored in the above-mentioned memory device, the fact that the operation has been completed is displayed on the abovementioned display screen with respect to the procedure to be stored for which operations have been completed.

Explanation of an Example Embodying the Invention

In the following, we shall explain one example embodying
the present invention based on the drawings.

Fig. 16 is an obliquely seen view of the magnetic

recording and reproducing apparatus to which a receiver for monitoring purpose (hereinafter referred to monitor "TV") is connected: 11 denotes a magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus unit, 12 is monitor TV, 13 is a connecting cable by which to connect the magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus unit 11 and the monitor TV 12, lla is a cassette mounting section which moves upward and downward ir order to insert or remove a cassette (not shown in the drawing) 11b is a channel which contains a magnetic tape, selection section, and 11c is an operating section for timer recording : a state in which the above-mentioned section 11c is open, is shown in Fig. 17, and the operating section located inside the cover is shown in In Fig. 18, 13 denotes a card insertion Fig. 18. opening, 14 is a display button by which to display the recorded content of the recorded card, 15 recognition button, 16 is a cancellation button, through 20 are cursor buttons by which to move the cursor on the screen of the monitor TV respectively in the directions of the arrows, and 21 is a confirmation button by which to display and confirm the content recognized by the recognition button 15. A recorded card 22 as shown in Fig. 19 is inserted into the above-This recorded card mentioned card insertion opening 13. 22 has a recorded section 22a indicated with the oblique lines, and this recorded section 22a whose basic material is, for example, made of an organic colloid, has holes of a diameter of about 5 microns formed by a laser beam as data bits, is of a size of 12 mm x 75 mm, and contains information of about 5 million recorded. The arrow A shows the direction of insertion of the recorded card 22.

Fig. 23 is a block diagram of the whole system: 23 is a central control device (hereinafter referred to as CPU), the card reader 24, the display means 25 by which to display on the display, the cursor moving means 26, the reading means 27, the memory device 28, the timer 29 and the control section 30 are controlled by this CPU 23, and the selection section 31 and a magnetic recording section (not shown in the drawing) are connected to this control section 30. The above-mentioned display means 25 displays on the display screen, that is, the monitor TV 12, a procedure to be stored which has been reproduced by the card reader 24, the above-mentioned cursor moving means 26 moves freely the cursor on the above-mentioned display screen, the above-mentioned reading means 27 reads only the procedure to be stored which has been recognized by the cursor on the abovementioned display screen, the above-mentioned memory device 28 stores the procedure to be stored which has been read by the above-mentioned reading means 27, the above-mentioned timer 29 reads the procedure to be stored on the pre-determined date and time according to the procedure to be stored which has been stored in the above-mentioned memory device 28, and the above-mentioned control section 30 actuates the magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus 11 on the above-mentioned pre-determined date and time.

Next, let us explain the operations thereof. In a case the cover 11c of the of making timer recording, operating section for timer recording of the magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus unit 11 is first opened, and the recorded card 22 is inserted into the card insertion opening 13. TV broadcasting programs for one month which can be received in this region have been recorded on this recorded card 22. If after inserting the recorded card 22, the display button 14 depressed, Page 1 of the content of the recorded card 22 appears on the screen of the monitor TV 12 as shown in Here Pl indicates that the first page is Fig. 21. displayed, and information on the TV programs is listed and arranged from the next line. (The lines after the third line are omitted from the drawing.) On the line next to the line of Pl are listed date, time, title and selection channel number in this sequence from In Fig. 21, the cursor is shown under P. the left. Next, if the cursor button 17 is depressed, the cursor moves down one line as it is depressed once. For example, let us consider a case in which timer recording is to be set on news on 1 ch from 7 : 00 to 7 : 20 on May 5th: the cursor is moved to the left side of the predetermined line as shown in Fig. 22. Next, if the recognition button 15 is depressed, * (asterisk sign) mark appears on the right side of this line as shown in Fig. 23, and the timer recording is set. If this is to be cancelled, the cursor is moved to the left side of the line to be cancelled, and the cancel button 16 is depressed. By this, the * mark disappears, and the timer record setting is cancelled. Once the timer recording has been set, this information is stored in the memory device 28 of the magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus unit 11, this memory is retrieved on the pre-determined date and time by the timer 29, and the control section 30 actuates recording of the program of the pre-determined broadcasting station for a pre-determined period of time on the pre-determined date In addition, if the confirmation button 21 and time. is depressed after the setting, a * mark appears on the right side of the line, only the content/contents (program/programs) whose timer recording has been set is/ are displayed in sequence, and by this, one can confirm without fail what has been set for timer recording. Next, when the pre-determined time has elapsed and recording of a certain content (program) among the contents (programs) set for timer recording has been completed, if the confirmation button 21 is depressed, a * (asterisk) mark/marks appears/appear on the left side/sides of the line/lines of only the content/contents (program/programs) for which the above-mentioned timer recording has been completed, though only a content/contents (program/programs) are displayed for which timer recording has been set, and thus it is possible to confirm that recording of the program/programs has been completed.

In the above-mentioned Example embodying the present invention, we have explained an example in which use is made of a recorded card 22 as a recorded medium, but it is a matter of course that we may adopt various systems as to a recorded medium and a method of capturing the information: for example, capturing data to be recorded on a printed matter by means of a bar code reader.

In addition, in the above-mentioned Example embodying the present invention, we have explained a case in which it is applied to the so-called timer recording of a broadcasting program, and the magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus in accordance with the present invention may be effectively utilized, for example, in a surveillance system including a magnetic recording and

reproducing apparatus which is used in a bank, a store, etc. That is, in a VTR for surveillance which is connected to a plurality of cameras, if we record such a content that, for example, a camera at the front gate may be used from 8: 00 to 10: 00, a camera in the neighborhood of a back gate from 12:00 to 13: 00, etc. in one day, an operator can select and prepare easily and simply an optimum surveillance routine, depending on a administrative nature of a surveillance system, changes in season, surrounding environmental conditions, or a change in machines used in the surveillance system, etc. In addition, this can be easily and simply changed if so required, and therefore the practical merits are extremely great.

Effects of the Invention

As explained above, with the present invention, since it is structured in such a manner that for example, a program list recorded on a record card may be displayed on a monitor TV, it may be allowed to be recognized by a cursor on the screen, the information may be stored in a memory device in a magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus by this, and a timer and a station selection section contained therein may be actuated in conjunction with this stored content, a recording procedure such as represented by the so-called timer reservation may be

easily and simply set by very simple operations. In addition, since it is possible to display only the content/ contents reserved by the confirmation means, the confirmation operation can be carried out easily and accurately without fail. Furthermore, since only a program for which the timer recording has been completed is distinguished by a special mark on a display screen, it is possible to recognize at a glance that that recording has been completed.

4. Simple Explanation of the Drawings

Fig. 1 is an obliquely seen view of the appearance of a conventional home VTR, Fig. 2 is an enlarged front view of the timer display and timer operating section of the Fig. 3 through Fig. 15 above-mentioned VTR, explanatory drawings of the timer recording operating sequence of the same VTR, Fig. 16 is an obliquely seen view of the magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus in one example embodying the present invention, Fig. 17 is an enlarged obliquely seen view of the timer recording operating section of the above-mentioned magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus, Fig. 18 enlarged front view of the above-mentioned timer recording operating section, Fig. 19 is an obliquely seen view of a recorded card, Fig. 20 is a block diagram of the magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus in one example embodying the present invention, and Fig. 21 through Fig. 23 are explanatory drawings of the display at the time of setting of the above-mentioned magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus.

11 is a magnetic recording and reproducing apparatus unit, 12 is a monitor TV, 21 is a confirmation button, 22 is a recorded card, 23 is a central control unit, 24 is a card reader, 25 is a display means, 26 is a cursor moving means, 27 is a reading means, 28 is a memory device, 29 is a timer and 30 is a control section

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Fig. 1

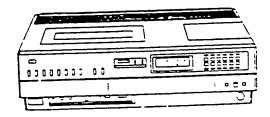
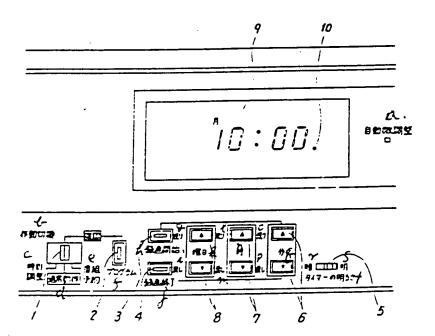


Fig. 2



key a. automatic fine adjustment, b. operation switching, c. time adjustment, d. normal operation, e. program reservation, f. program, g. forward, h. start of recording, i. rewind, j. completion of recording, k. day and date, l. forward, m. rewind, n. time, o. forward, p. rewind, q. minute, r. dark, s. bright, t. brightness of timer

Fig. 3

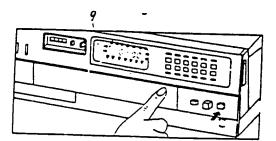


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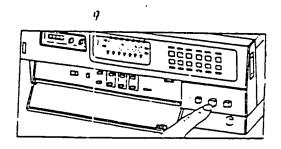


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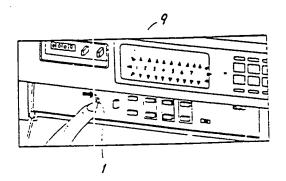


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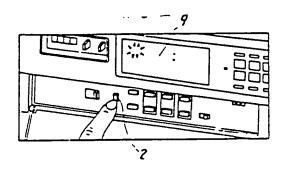


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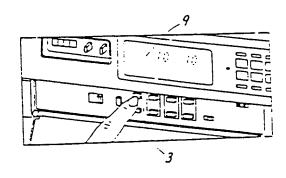


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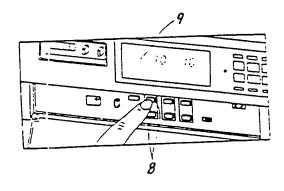


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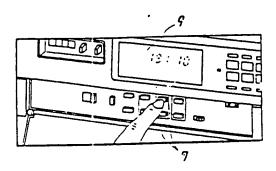


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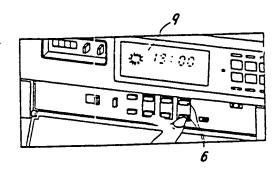


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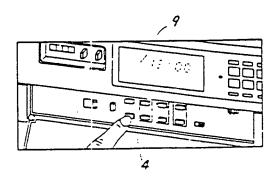


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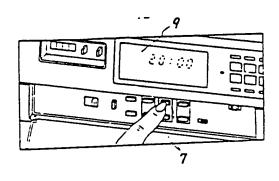


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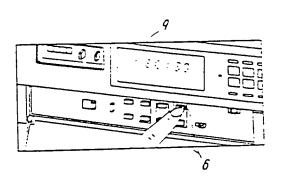


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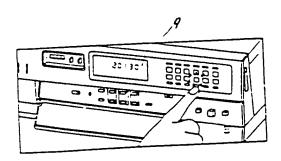


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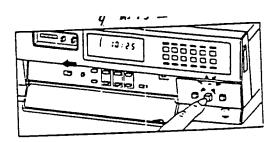


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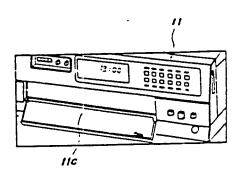


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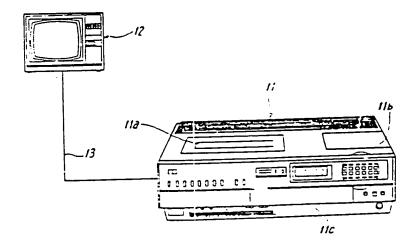


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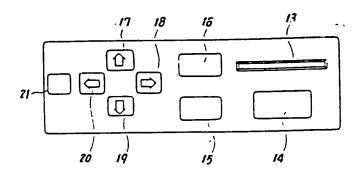


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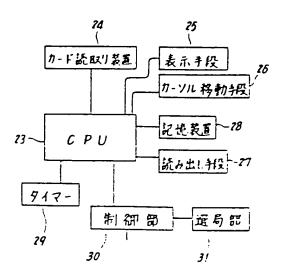


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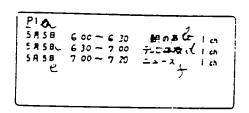
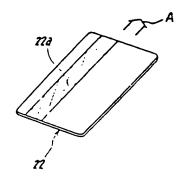


Fig. 19



key 24. card reader,
25. display means, 26.
cursor moving means, 27.
reading means, 28.
memory device, 29.
timer, 30. control
section, 31. channel
selection section

key a. May 5, b. morning
voice, c. May 5, d.
television gymnastics, e.
May 5, f. news

Fig. 22

key a. May 5, b. morning voice, c. May 5, d. television gymnastics, e. May 5, f. news

Fig. 23

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voice, c. May 5, d.
television gymnastics, e.
May 5, f. news